



The Magic of Christmas

When the bells tinkle and the white snow fills the air on the dawn of Christmas day, the whole world suspends work during the universal reign of Peace, Happiness and Good Will.

Make the most of Christmas. Fill it up with practical, useful gifts that gladden hearts and bring joy to your family and friends. Joyous Christmas need not be a costly day. Little things—thoughtfully chosen, crown it with happiness that far outlasts the year.

We are now prepared for the busiest Christmas in the history of this store. Every indication points to a great demand for furniture as Christmas gifts. Fortunately we have gathered the largest and most complete line of holiday furniture and home furnishings ever brought to this city. We can therefore safely promise complete satisfaction for all coming here for Christmas gift things.

From end to end and from top to bottom this store is crowded with the most attractive of the latest offerings in the line of home furnishings. No matter what may be the amount you have reserved for the purpose of buying holiday goods, we feel certain of our ability to give you the most value for that sum.

Framed Pictures

We are showing some very good specials in Framed Pictures at 30c, 35c, 60c and \$1.00. Something new, just in. See them in our windows.

A 5x7 postcard-size Frame in Gilt, Light and Dark Oak, Mission with square and oval mats with glass, 15c each, with 10c extra if we fit the picture.

B. W. Hooker & Co.
Vermont's Largest House Furnishers

Don't Get Left On These Big Specials

We have gone through our stock and selected these goods listed below and have made a big cut to close them out, and the first here, first served. Only a few left, so don't be too late.

- 1 lot of \$1.00 and \$1.25 Dry Mops at only, each 47c
- 1 lot Common Mops and Handles, regular value 35c, our special, each 19c
- 1 lot of 75c value heavy Mops and Handles at, each 39c
- 1 lot of Scrub Brushes and Handles, regular values 20c, our special at, complete 11c
- 1 lot of Dustless Dusting Mittens, regular value 50c; our special at, each 23c
- 1 lot of Mop Handles, 10c values, at, each 6c (Buy a dozen and keep them for future use.)
- 1 lot of Dustless Dust Cloths, the kind you are paying 25c for, at 9c
- 1 lot of Dust Cloths, 10c values, 6c each 5 for 25c
- 1 lot of Feather Dusters, regular values \$1.88 and \$2.25, at only, each \$1.19
- 1 lot of 40c and 45c Dusters at, each 19c
- 1 window full of 10c Kitchen Goods at 6c each, or 5 for 25c

THE C. N. KENYON & CO. STORE
W. H. Westcott, Manager
Orders taken for matching all Dinner Sets



Rubber

The value of rubber lies in its quality. Some people know what rubber quality is; others do not. We know, and we will gladly tell you the absolute quality of any piece of rubber that you select from our stock.

Hot Water Bottles, Fountain Syringes
Gloves, Brushes, Sponges, Combs, Nipples,
Tubes, Cushions, Bulbs

We sell all rubber goods for home, sick room, bath room or nursery. All best quality, all low cost. It is very advisable that you buy all rubber goods here.

Drown's Drug Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

See Abbott's showing of reasonable furs.

Dainty Christmas handkerchiefs at Fitts'.
Read Paris Shirtwaist House ad. on page 4.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marchesi of Bolster avenue have returned to the city, after passing two weeks in Pittsfield.

We have at the present time a few piano boxes for sale to make chicken coops of. Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street.

Don't forget the boy scout farce, "A Strenuous Afternoon," to be given at the Congregational church Friday evening at 7:30.—adv.

The Hoyt & Lebourveau company is engaged in erecting a connecting annex between its stonewall and business office on Willey street.

The Hospital Aid association will hold a special meeting in Aldrich hall Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A good attendance is requested.

Watch! Wait! For the Christmas sale in the vestry of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Dec. 15. Fancywork, aprons, home-made andy and cooked food.—adv.

J. O. Bladdeau, who has been making an extended stay in Aurora, Ill., was a visitor in the city last evening while on his way to his former home in East Barre.

J. Ward Carver's law offices have been undergoing a complete renovation since the outbreak of fire on the third floor of the Aldrich estate block a few weeks ago. Painters and decorators have nearly completed their work in Mr. Carver's suite and improvements are being made also on the third floor.

The Mothers' club will hold a fair Dec. 4, afternoon and evening, at the Lanciault schoolhouse in Plainfield. There will be a nice program in the evening and many useful and fancy things on sale, also home-made candy, peanuts, and a fishpond for the little children. There will be no admission fee, so the public is invited.—adv.

A party Barre hunters left the city this morning for Blue point in Groton, where they expect to remain in camp until next week, hunting deer as long as the legal protection afforded the big game is withheld and then devoting their time to the pursuit of rabbits and smaller game. Among those who made up the party were: Drago Giacomini, John Sassi, E. Colombo, Mario Monti and John Abbiati.

Arrangements are nearly completed for the second smoke talk of the winter at the Vincitia club on the evening of Friday, December 10. An instructor from Middlebury college will probably be the speaker. Committees representing the Vincitia club and the Apollo club of Montpelier are also negotiating for the annual series of four interclub tournaments, which are to be started in the near future.

"They (the Germans) greatly fear the Gordons and when a detachment of the Highlanders sweep into sight, the Teuts, are off like a shot and you can't see their heels for thick Flemish dust." So writes Arthur Stewart, a member of the 75th British ambulance corps to his brother, William Stewart of Mount street. The Barre man had not heard from his younger brother in seven months until a letter from somewhere in France, dated November 16, came to him yesterday. Young Mr. Stewart, having served several years before the mast, had given up a seafaring career to accept the assistant superintendency of an insane asylum near Yarmouth, England, when the war broke out in the late summer of 1914. Immediately Mr. Stewart joined the 75th ambulance and his regiment was one of the first to cross the channel. So far as the censor ship will permit, the young man writes intimately of his experiences in the corps and is allowed by the censors to say that the allied forces appear to be on the eve of another great drive.

Special for Wednesday and Thursday GRAPEFRUIT

12c GRAPEFRUIT for 18c
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FLORIDA ORANGES

Juicy and Good Eating
15 FOR 25c—25c DOZ. UP TO 40c DOZ.

California ORANGES

10c PER DOZEN UP TO 50c PER DOZEN

LEMONS

25c PER DOZEN

DATES

THREE POUNDS FOR 25c

Fresh Roasted Peanuts

THREE QUARTS FOR 25c

PINEAPPLES

TWO FOR 25c

BANANAS

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Special Chocolate Mixture, 2 lbs. for 25c
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Only Three Weeks More to Christmas!

The next few weeks will be very busy ones for all, and we will strive to do all we can to help you in making your selections. If it is a Coat, Suit, Separate Skirt, Waists or Furs, we can surely give you some good values and a large assortment of the season's best models to select from. We were able to pick out from our Fur Sale this week some extra good things in Furs, such as Muffs and Scarfs, that we consider extra good values. A nice Fur Set or Separate Muff makes an ideal present and is a something that every lady appreciates and enjoys. We have also just received a large line of the Children's Fur Sets in all the popular Furs.



Ladies' Separate Coats

We are now showing some very good things in Ladies' Separate Coats. This has been a very large Coat season. Never were we able to show in one season so large a variety of Coats in models that were rivals of each other. We have put a lot of time and study into this line and know we are showing Coat models that are the season's best as to style and quality.

We have gone through our stock and picked out all odd garments and Coats that we cannot duplicate and put them on one rack at prices that will appeal to any who want a good serviceable garment.

At \$7.98 are good Coat values consisting of Chinchillas, Mixtures and plain cloths. These are regular \$10.00 to \$12.50 values.

At \$9.98 are Coats in qualities that were made to sell at from \$12.50 to \$15.00 and were good values. Are Coats where the clothes are closed and we cannot duplicate them.

At \$15.00 is a lot of Coat values in Coats that were among our best models. Coats that sold at from \$18.00 to \$22.50. Many of these are the Wooltex models. The qualities and styles are the best.



Ladies' Silk and Cotton Waists

We have just received some extra good Silk Waist values for our Christmas sale. These are Silk, Linen and Muslin Waists in styles and qualities that are new.

At \$2.00 we have a new Waist value that is made from a fine quality Tub Silk and is made with the high-low collar. Silk is a white ground with colored stripes.

At \$1.25 is a fine White Jap Silk Waist, made in one of the season's best styles and from a good weight Silk.

At \$2.50 we have an extra good Crepe de Chine Waist. This Waist is made in a number of the season's best styles. Some have the dainty hand-embroidered fronts; has the high-low collar with adjustable bottom.

At \$2.00 is an extra good White Linen Waist. Is made in the season's best style and from a good weight Linen.

In the fine Muslin Waists, we have some new Christmas values.

In the fine Crepe Waists, we have a large assortment of Waists in qualities from \$2.50 to \$7.75. See our Hand Embroidered Crepe Waists.

Ladies' Tailored Suits

This is surely extra good Suit weather, and the values we are now putting out seem to appeal to those who want a good Suit value.

We have one rack of odd Suits that are the season's best and newest models, that we are closing at much less than the regular price.

At \$10.00 are a few odd Suits in the season's best styles; are made in a good all-wool Serge.

At \$12.50 is a large variety of odd Suits that are our season's best models. Are made in Poplins, Serges, Gabardines, Mixtures. Are Suits that sold at \$15.00, \$16.50 and \$18.00, and were extra good values. These are on one rack to close at \$12.50.

In the better grade Suits, we have a large variety of the season's best models—Suits that are made from a variety of the season's best cloths, in Blues, Browns, Greens and Mixtures. These we are cleaning up at much under the regular price. In these Suits are models that have a good weight flannel interlining.

WHAT COULD YOU THINK OF BETTER THAN A

Good Fur to Give a Lady for Christmas?

Our line is now complete with all the season's best serviceable Furs. We were able to pick out from a line of samples this week some extra good values in Fur Sets and Separate Muffs. We have some extra value in fine Black Lynx, Fox, Marten, Mink, Raccoon and Opossum. Our line of Children's Fur Sets is now ready for your inspection, and here you will find a good assortment of the season's best values.

The Daylight Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

New Christmas aprons at Fitts'.
Notice! All kinds of stove repairs at E. A. Prindle & Co., Pearl street.

Plan to attend the fair Dec. 8 and 9 at the Presbyterian church. Just the place to buy your Christmas presents.—adv.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Remember the winter fete at the Baptist church Tuesday, December 7.—adv.

Don't forget the boy scout farce, "A Strenuous Afternoon," to be given at the Congregational church Friday evening at 7:30.—adv.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Christmas ribbons at Fitts'.
Christmas waists at Abbott's.
Public masquerade in Clan Gordon hall Dec. 4. Auspices S. B. of A. All come.—adv.

For the real, old German frankfurter, try the Baltimore Cafe. The allies can't touch it.—adv.

We can spare a few rooms for winter boarders, also would like a few table boarders. Figure what it is costing you to keep house and then come and talk with me at Hotel Barre. J. V. Rowen, manager.—adv.

The strongest argument we have why you should buy a good piano from us is through a long list of satisfied customers. For nearly 50 years we have called your attention to our line of high-grade pianos that are reliable and very reasonable in price. You should have one of our pianos in your home. Call or write for catalog and prices to Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street, Barre, Vt.—adv.

A nice line of music rolls and small musical goods and sheet music at Bailey's, 14 Elm street.—adv.



What Is It?

See the deep sea monster in our

FISH WINDOW

Our stock of FRESH FISH is gilt-edged this cool weather.

We make Finnan Haddies and Kippers every day; only 12c a pound and 5c each, 6 for 25c.

SPECIAL—
1 package of Oysterettes Free
with every quart of Oysters FRIDAY, FISH DAY. Try some of our FRESH-OPENED OYSTERS for supper to-night; only 45c per quart.

We also have the 35c per quart, or 18c per pint, small Oysters for stews.

CHICKEN HALIBUT
BLUEFISH
BULLPOUTS
ROCK COD
CUSH
FLOUNDERS
MACKEREL
SMELTS
SHORE HADDOCK

SWORDFISH
FRESH SALMON
FRESH HERRING
KIPPERED HERRING
FINNAN HADDIE
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If it is chowder you like, try some of our fresh-opened clams or a piece of cod

Fresh Mackerel, per lb. 15c
Halibut, per lb. 22c to 25c
Salmon, per lb. 25c
Steak Cod, per lb. 10c to 12c
Steak Haddock, per lb. 10c to 15c
Flounders, per lb., 10c
Swordfish, per lb., 25c
Fresh Smelts, per lb. 25c

Lobsters, Scallops, Oysters, Clams, Shell Clams, Shell Oysters and Herring.

MINCE MEAT—Two years old; made with brandy; like we used last Christmas.

Heinz Sweet Relish in bulk, Sour Krout, Dill Pickles, White Pickled Onions and Mustard Pickles—all in bulk.

If you want to save money, buy your Dried Fruits of us now.

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